

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Appl. No. : 10/598,763 Examiner : Karla Hawkins  
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For : APPARATUS FOR REMOVING NITROGEN OXIDES AND METHOD FOR  
REMOVING NITROGEN OXIDES

**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181  
FOR ENTRY OF CORRECTED LITERAL ENGLISH TRANSLATION  
OF INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Upon review of the literal English translation of the International Application, Applicants note that the reference numerals need correction in Figures 7-12. Accordingly, Applicants are submitting this Petition and a Corrected Literal English Translation of the International Application as filed to thereby ensure compliance with 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 C.F.R. 1.495.

After speaking with Examiner Karla Hawkins on November 3, 2009 and November 5, 2009, where the Examiner noted that the drawings of the above-referenced application did not appear to correspond with the specification, Applicants reviewed the literal English translation of the International Application. Applicants noted that the reference numerals in Figures 7-12 of the English translation did not correspond with the reference numerals in Figures 7-12 of the application from the original PCT application PCT/JP2005/000396.

Accordingly, the present Petition seeks to ensure the accuracy of the literal English translation of the International Application by submitting a corrected translation in which Figures

7-12 of the English translation correspond with Figures 7-12 of the published International Application. Applicants submit that the corrected literal English translation does not add new matter and has been made to ensure an accurate translation of the International Application as filed.

Applicants therefore submit this Petition requesting the entry of the Corrected Literal English Translation of International Application No. PCT/JP2005/000396 being submitted with this Petition. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request the entry of the present Petition along with the Corrected Literal English Translation of the International Application as filed.

Therefore, grant of the present Petition is requested along with indication from the Patent and Trademark Office that the Corrected Literal English Translation has been entered.

Applicants hereby authorize the charging of any required fee necessary for consideration and/or entry of this Petition and/or consideration and/or entry of the Corrected Literal English Translation to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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